San Carlos Apache Telecommunications Utility, Inc.



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September 26, 2007

445 12th Street, S. W. Washington, D. C. 20554

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission

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RE:

Certification of Compliance With Section 254(e) in Lieu of State Certification, Pursuant to the Fourteenth Report and Order, Twenty-Second Order on Reconsideration, and Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking in CC Docket No. 96-45

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Dear Ms. Dortch:

Pursuant to the provisions in the above referenced Order and 47 CFR §54.31(b), attached please find an original and four (4) copies for filing of the certification of San Carlos Apache Telecommunications Utility, Inc. (SCATUI), study area code 452169. As a tribally-owned carrier not subject to the jurisdiction of the state regulatory authority, the Arizona Corporation Commission, SCATUI is filing its certification of compliance with Section 254(e) directly with the FCC.

SCATUI is filing this certification simultaneously with the filing of its annual report pursuant to 47 CFR §54.209, which is applicable to a common carrier designated under section 214(e)(6) as an eligible telecommunications carrier.

If you have any questions concerning this filing, please contact me.

Sincerely,

Vernon R. James

Attachment

cc: Ms Karen Majcher

Vice President High Cost and Low Income Division

Universal Service Administrative Company

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AFFIDAVIT OF COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 254(e) TO RECEIVE FEDERAL UNIVERSAL FUNDS PURSUANT TO THE FOURTEENTH REPORT AND ORDER IN CC DOCKET NO. 96-45

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

STATE OF ARIZONA COUNTY OF GILA

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared Vernon R. James of San Carlos Apache Telecommunications Utility, Inc., (SCATUI) who on his oath deposed and said:

- 1. My name is Vernon James. I am employed by SCATUI in the position of CEO & General Manager. In this position, I am personally familiar with the Federal Universal Service support received by SCATUI and how SCATUI uses these funds.
- 2. SCATUL is an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier ("ETC") within the meaning of §214(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996 ("Act"), having been designated by the FCC as an ETC on February 27, 1998.
- 3. The Federal Universal Service support funds received by SCATUI are used only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities for which the support is intended, as designated by the Federal Communications Commission consistent with Section 254(e) of the Act.
- 4. These funds will be used to provide the supported services as designated in 47 C.F.R. §54.101 which are available throughout SCATUI's study area.
- 5. "The matters addressed above are within my personal knowledge and are true and correct."

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the 26 SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this day of September, 2007.

Notary Public State of Arizona

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Re: Carolina West Wireless, Inc., SAC 239004

High-Cost Certification CC Docket No. 96-45

Dear Ms. Dortch and Ms. Majcher:

This certification is submitted on behalf of Carolina West Wireless ("Carolina West") in accordance with FCC Rule Sections 54.313 and 54.314. 47 C.F.R. §§ 54.313, 54.314. On behalf of Carolina West, I hereby certify under penalty of perjury that all high-cost support provided to the Company will be used only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended, pursuant to Section 254(e) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended.

Slayton Stewart
Chief Executive Officer

Date

SUBSCRIBED, SWORN TO AND ACKNOWLEDGED before me this 26 day of September, 2007

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